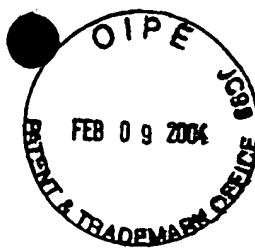


03500.011122.



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

YUJU SAKAEGI

Application No.: 08/579,739

Filed: December 28, 1995

For: COMPUTER PERIPHERAL
APPARATUS WITH POWER
SUPPLY CONTROL

Examiner: Vu, Ngoc Yen T.

Group Art Unit: 2612

February 5, 2004

RECEIVED

FEB 17 2004

Technology Center 2600

Mail Stop Petition
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated September 5, 2003 for two months, from December 5, 2003 to February 5, 2004.

02/12/2004 SSITHIB1 00000096 08579739

01 FC:1252

420.00 OP

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first-class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on

February 5, 2004
(Date of Deposit)

Michael K. O'Neill (Reg. No. 32,622)
(Name of Attorney for Applicant)

Signature

February 5, 2004
Date of Signature

Submitted herewith is a check for \$420.00 to cover the fee for the extension under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17. Any deficiency in or overpayment of this fee should be charged or credited to Deposit Account 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this petition is enclosed.

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

Respectfully submitted,


Attorney for Applicant

Registration No. 32622

FITZPATRICK, CELLA, HARPER & SCINTO
30 Rockefeller Plaza
New York, New York 10112-2200
Facsimile: (212) 218-2200

CA_MAIN 75653 v 1